

**Table 1. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure, 2000**

**New York City**

Event <sup>1</sup>	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total .....	111	100
<b>Transportation incidents</b> .....	16	14
Highway .....	9	8
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment .....	6	5
Worker struck by vehicle, mobile equipment .....	7	6
Worker struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway .....	4	4
Worker struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in parking lot or non-road area .....	3	3
<b>Assaults and violent acts</b> .....	58	52
Homicides .....	47	42
Shooting .....	41	37
Stabbing .....	4	4
Suicide, self-inflicted injury .....	11	10
<b>Contact with objects and equipment</b> .....	8	7
Struck by object .....	3	3
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects ...	3	3
Caught in running equipment or machinery .....	3	3
<b>Falls</b> .....	18	16
Fall to lower level .....	18	16
Fall from floor, dock, or ground level .....	3	3
Fall from roof .....	4	4
Fall from roof edge .....	3	3
Fall from scaffold, staging .....	6	5
<b>Exposure to harmful substances or environments</b> ..	4	4
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances .....	4	4
Inhalation of substance .....	3	3
<b>Fires and explosions</b> .....	6	5
Fires--unintended or uncontrolled .....	6	5
Fire in residence, building, or other structure .....	6	5

<sup>1</sup> Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries

**Table 2. Fatal occupational injuries by selected characteristics, 2000**

**New York City**

Worker characteristics	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total .....	111	100
<b>Employee status</b>		
Wage and salary workers <sup>1</sup> .....	99	89
Self-employed <sup>2</sup> .....	12	11
<b>Sex</b>		
Men .....	104	94
Women .....	7	6
<b>Age</b>		
Under 20 years .....	3	3
20 to 24 years .....	6	5
25 to 34 years .....	25	23
35 to 44 years .....	39	35
45 to 54 years .....	27	24
55 to 64 years .....	9	8
<b>Race</b>		
White .....	31	28
Black or African American .....	21	19
Hispanic or Latino .....	39	35
Asian .....	19	17

<sup>1</sup> May include volunteers and other workers receiving compensation.

<sup>2</sup> Includes paid and unpaid family workers, and may include owners of incorporated businesses, or members of partnerships.

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**Table 3. Fatal occupational injuries by occupation, 2000**

**New York City**

Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total .....	111	100
<b>Managerial and professional specialty</b> .....	16	14
Executive, administrative, and managerial .....	11	10
Managers, food serving and lodging establishments .....	5	5
Professional specialty .....	5	5
<b>Technical, sales, and administrative support</b> .....	16	14
Sales occupations .....	14	13
Supervisors and proprietors, sales occupations ....	5	5
Sales workers, retail and personal services .....	9	8
Cashiers .....	8	7
<b>Service occupations</b> .....	13	12
Protective service occupations .....	6	5
Police and detectives, including supervisors .....	3	3
Police and detectives, public services .....	3	3
Guards, including supervisors .....	3	3
Guards and police, except public service .....	3	3
Service occupations, except protective and household .....	7	6
Cleaning and building service occupations, except household .....	4	4
Janitors and cleaners .....	3	3
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	20	18
Mechanics and repairers .....	6	5
Mechanics and repairers, except supervisors .....	6	5
Vehicle and mobile equipment mechanics, repairers .....	4	4
Construction trades .....	14	13
Construction trades, except supervisors .....	12	11
Carpenters and apprentices .....	4	4
Plumbers, pipefitters, steamfitters, and apprentices .....	3	3
<b>Operators, fabricators, and laborers</b> .....	46	41
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	23	21
Motor vehicle operators .....	23	21
Truck drivers .....	7	6
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	13	12
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers .....	21	19
Construction laborers .....	13	12
Freight, stock, and material handlers .....	3	3
Laborers, except construction .....	3	3

<sup>1</sup> Based on the 1990 Occupational Classification System developed by the Bureau of the Census.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

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**Table 4. Fatal occupational injuries by industry, 2000**

**New York City**

Industry <sup>1</sup>	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total .....	111	100
<b>Private industry</b> .....	106	95
<b>Construction</b> .....	30	27
General building contractors .....	5	5
Residential building construction .....	3	3
Special trade contractors .....	22	20
Masonry, stonework, tile setting, and plastering .....	4	4
Roofing, siding, and sheet metal work .....	3	3
Miscellaneous special trade contractors .....	10	9
Special trade contractors, n.e.c. ....	7	6
<b>Manufacturing</b> .....	4	4
<b>Transportation and public utilities</b> .....	23	21
Local and interurban passenger transportation .....	15	14
Taxicabs .....	12	11
Trucking and warehousing .....	3	3
Trucking and courier services, except air .....	3	3
<b>Retail trade</b> .....	27	24
Food stores .....	12	11
Grocery stores .....	11	10
Eating and drinking places .....	11	10
Eating places .....	8	7
Drinking places .....	3	3
<b>Finance, insurance, and real estate</b> .....	4	4
Real estate .....	3	3
Real estate operators and lessors .....	3	3
Apartment building operators .....	3	3
<b>Services</b> .....	17	15
Automotive repair, services, and parking .....	6	5
Automotive repair shops .....	4	4
<b>Government</b> .....	5	5

<sup>1</sup> Classified according to the *Standard Industrial Classification Manual, 1987*.

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